

Glory to Jesus Christ!
Слава Иисусу Христу!

St. Mary ~ Holy Protection
Byzantine Catholic Church
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Glory Forever!
Слава на вики!

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FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST

*Memory of the Miracle of the Holy Archangel Michael at Colossæ in Chionia.
The Holy Martyr Eudoxius and His companions.*



LITURGY SCHEDULE:

Sat. Sept. 05 17:00 Vigil: **15th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

Suffrages for + **David Rusinko** – Michael Bilik

Sun. Sept. 06 10:30 **15th SUNDAY AFTER PENTECOST**

Suffrages *pro populo*

Tues. Sept. 08 18:30 **BIRTH OF THE THEOTOKOS** - Mirovanije

Sat. Sept. 12 17:00 Vigil: **SUNDAY BEFORE THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS.** Suffrages for + **David Rusinko**– Barbara & Patrick Rega

Sun. Sept. 13 10:30 **SUNDAY BEFORE THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS** Suffrages *pro populo*



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COLLECTION

Adult: \$739
ATTENDANCE:

Candles: \$35
Sat. 13 + 1

TOTAL: \$774
Sun. 26 + 5

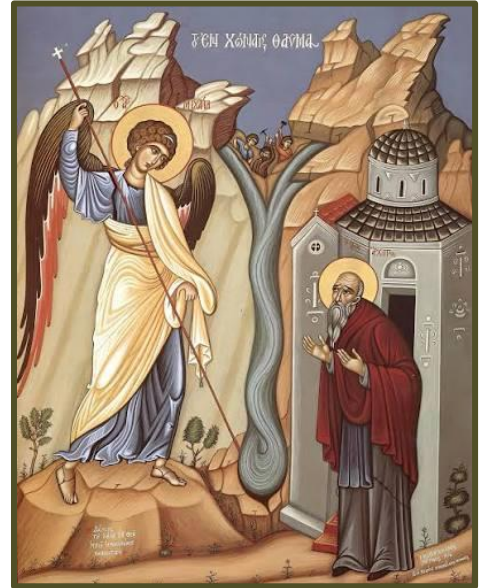


TROPARION OF THE NEW YEAR: Maker of the Universe, O Lord Who alone have power over seasons and times: bless this year with Your bounty, preserve our country in safety and keep Your people in peace through the prayers of the Mother of God, and save us.

KONTAKION OF THE NEW YEAR: O Creator and Master of time and eternity, super-substantial God of All, O Merciful One: bless the course of the year and in Your boundless mercy, save all those who worship You, our one and only Master, and who cry out to You in fear: O savior, grant a happy year to all mankind.

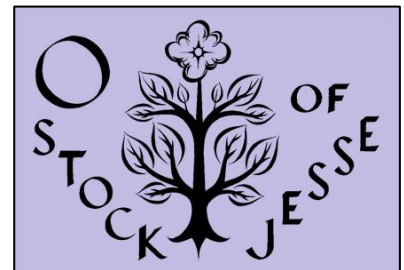
THE FEAST TODAY IN HONOR OF THE ARCHANGEL

MICHAEL commemorates the great miracle he performed when he delivered from destruction a church and holy spring named for him. The pagans, moved by malice, sought to destroy the aforementioned church and holy spring by turning the course of two rivers against them. But the Archangel appeared and, by means of the Cross and a great earthquake that shook the entire area, diverted the waters into an underground course. Henceforth, the name of that place changed from Colossæ to Chonæ, which means «funnels» in Greek.



Today is the beginning of our salvation, O people; for behold the Mother and Virgin who was chosen from all generations to be the habitation of God is born and comes forth from the barren one. She is the flower from Jesse and possesses the rod from his root. May our forefather Adam rejoice and be full of joy; for behold, she who was created from the rib of Adam declares that her daughter and descendant is blessed. She says: *My deliverance has been born to me. Through her, I will be freed from the bonds of Hades.* May David rejoice, play on his harp, and bless God; for behold, the Virgin comes forth from the womb of the barren woman for the salvation of our souls.

Let us play the spiritual flute on this noteworthy feast, because from the seed of David is born the Mother of the Life Who dispels the darkness. She is the renewal of Adam and the answer to Eve, the source of incorruption and the transformation of corruption. Because of her, we have been divinized and delivered from death. We cry out to her with Gabriel: «*Rejoice, O Full of Grace, the Lord is with you.*» Because of you, He has granted us great mercy.



THE BUILDING AND MAINTENANCE COMMITTEE is selling **\$500 strip tickets**. The winning number will be taken from the «Pick 3 Daily Number 1st Evening Drawing» on **Sunday, September 21st**.